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BOX PATENT APPLICATION Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Re:

Application of Toru FUJITA

IMAGE PROCESSING APPARATUS FOR ELECTROPHOTOGRAPHY AND

ELECTROPHOTOGRAPHIC APPARATUS UTILIZING THE SAME

Our Ref. Q62428

Dear Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above including 37 sheets of the specification, including the claims and abstract, and 9 sheet(s) of drawings. Also enclosed are the priority documents. The requisite U.S. Government Filing Fee, executed Declaration and Power of Attorney and Assignment will be submitted at a later date.

The Government filing fee is calculated as follows:

Total claims	19 - 20	= x	\$18.00 =	\$.00
Independent claims	4 - 3	$=$ 1 $\mathbf{x}$	\$80.00 =	\$80.00
Base Fee				\$710.00

TOTAL FEE \$790.00

Priority is claimed from December 22, 1999, and September 4, 2000, based on JP Application Nos. Hei. 11-365499, and 2000-266897, respectively. The priority document(s) are enclosed herewith.

Respectfully submitted, SUGHRUE, MION, ZINN,

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